

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

TO:	THE CITY COUNCIL	COUNCIL MEETING DATE	NO.
FROM:	THE CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE	MAY 17, 1989	
SUBJECT:	PURCHASE OF CLASS 2 AND CLASS 3 WOOD UTILITY POLES		

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the City Council award the bid for the purchase of seven Class 2 and twenty-one Class 3 wood utility poles to the low bidder, McCormick & Baxter Creosoting Company of San Francisco, in the amount of \$14,230.50.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: On April 10, 1989, the City Council approved specifications and authorized advertisement for bids. Bids were opened on May 3, 1989, with the following results:

McCormick & Baxter, San Francisco	\$14,230.50
J. H. Baxter & Co., San Mateo	17,216.10


Proposal forms were also sent to two other previous bidders, Selma Treating and North Pacific Lumber; neither responded with bids.

Poles in seven lengths are included in this purchase:

Class 2	Class 3
2 ea 75-foot	10 ea 45-foot
2 ea 80-foot	10 ea 55-foot
2 ea 85-foot	1 ea 70-foot
1 ea 90-foot	

The Class 3 poles will be purchased to support the Electric Utility Department's ongoing maintenance program of replacing damaged or deteriorated poles currently in service. The Class 2 poles are being purchased to meet the Utility Department's revised minimum inventory standards.

Delivery is expected about ten weeks after placement of order. Funding is available in the Electric Utility Department's operating fund.



Joel E. Harris,
Purchasing Officer

cc: Utility Director
Assistant Utility Director
Electrical Engineer

RESOLUTION NO. 89-56

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL
AWARDING THE BID FOR THE PURCHASE OF CLASS 2 AND CLASS 3 WOOD UTILITY POLES

WHEREAS, in answer to notice duly published in accordance with law and the order of this City Council, sealed bids were received and publicly opened on May 3, 1989 at 11:00 a.m. for the bid for the purchase of seven Class 2 and twenty-one Class 3 wood utility poles, described in the specifications therefor approved by the City Council on April 10, 1989; and

WHEREAS, said bids have been compared, checked, and tabulated and a report thereof filed with the City Manager as follows:

Biddtr =====	Amount =====
McCormick & Baxter, San Francisco	\$14,230.50
J. H. Baxter & Co., San Mateo	\$17,216.10

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends that award of the bid for wood utility poles be made to the low bidder, McCormick & Baxter, San Francisco;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Lodi that award of bid for seven Class 2 and twenty-one Class 3 wood utility poles be and the same is hereby awarded to McCormick & Baxter, San Francisco, the low bidder, in the amount of \$14,230.50.

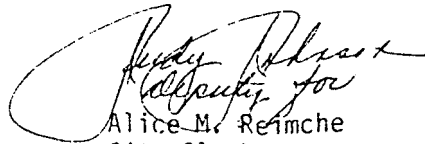
Dated: May 17, 1989

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 89-56 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held May 17, 1989 by the following vote:

Ayes: Council Members - Hinchman, Olson, Pinkerton, Reid and Snider (Mayor)

Noes: Council Members - None

Absent: Council Members - None


Alice M. Reimche
City Clerk